Carver-Price School News

Hello Readers! Looking at the news on our desk, it seems each club has organized, so here goes.

The Seniors held their first class meeting Monday and elected the following officers: President, Curtis Whitted; Vice-President, Ella J. Chambers; Secretary, Willie Lilly; Treasurer, Edward Lilly; Reporter Sarah Harvey; Chaplain, Allen Watkins; Sponsor, Mrs. H. P. James. Under these very capable leaders we are looking for a most successful graduating class. They have already started by sponsoring a trip to see Virginia State College's first football game against A & T College of Greensboro, N. C. this Saturday, Sept. 25th. The bus will leave at 7:30 A. M. from Carver. They also plan a tour of the buildings and to learn of some of the offers available to students enrolling in 1955.

The Eleventh Grade officers for 1954-55 are: President, Rosa Jones; Vice-President, James Ferguson; Secretary, Roberta Lewis; Asst. Sec., Georgia Scruggs; Treasurer, Henrietta Ferguson; Chaplain, Viola Johnson; Sponsor, Mr. E. T. Johnson. They too look forward for an enjoyable and eventful year.

Tenth Grade officers are: President, Sidney Watts; Vice-President, Celestine Chambers; Secretary, Mary Goode; Asst. Sec., Clara Ferguson; Treasurer, John Brewer; Chaplain Annie Megginson; Sponsor, Mr. James Clay. Student Council Members, Mary Goode and Edward Walker.

Ninth Grade officers are: President, Herbert Williams; Vice-President, Raymond Lawing; Secretary Shirley Biglow; Asst. Sec., Gladys Watkins; Reporter, Pearline Jones; Treasurer, Walter Jones; Sponsor, Miss Eddy Betts.

There have been organized two new clubs, The Physical Education Club and the Athletic Council. The purposes of the Physical Education Club are to organize students in the department into a club of their own, to promote better school spirit, to serve as a place for carrying out the athletic wishes of students and to more effectively carry out the athletic program. The club was organized last Wednesday under the sponsorship of Mrs. H. P. James and Mr. N. H. Miller, Physical Education instructors. Officers elected for the year are: President, Curtis Whitted; Vice-President, Winston Jones; Secretary, Rosa Jones; Asst. Sec., Willie Lilly; Treasurer, Roberta Lewis; Assistant Treasurer, Edward Lilly; Reporter, Georgia Scruggs.

The Athletic Counicl is made up of the following members: Gloria Jenkins, Sarah Harvey, Rosa Jones, Viola Johnson, Georgia Scruggs, Henrietta Ferguson, Curtis Whitted Winston Jones, Allen Watkins, Sidney Watts, Herbert Williams, and Willie Lilly. The purposes of the Council are: to assist the P. E. Club in its planning activities; to meet with the sponsors to discuss and work out a method of carrying on activities, and to act as a liaison between the P. E. Department and the school. We are hoping for great things from this organization. Sarah Harvey is President of the Council and Henrietta Ferguson is Secretary.

Each homeroom shall conduct weekly assembly periods as outlined by the Assembly Committee. On this Wednesday, group singing will be conducted. Interesting and educational programs are anticipated.

Students returning to colleges this week are: Warren Jones to Hampton Institute; Sarah Watkins Jacqueline Lawing, Charles Jeffers, Leon Lawing, Deaster Johnson, Curtis Marshall to Virginia State College, and Donald Doss to St. Paul Polytechnical Institute. This year we will have four students graduating from colleges. Time seems to fly.

Lelia Mozee, a former Carver graduate is here visiting in the home of Mrs. Mozella J. Price, Supervisor, where she resided while attending school. She now lives in Long Island, N. Y., and is employed as a filing clerk.

Lieutnant Hubert Watkins, a former Carver graduate and graduate of Virginia State College, has returned home after serving for two years in the Army, after four years of collegiate R. O. T. C. training. We are very glad to see him again.

Until next week, our thought for the week:

"That place that does contain my books, the best companions, is to me a glorious court, where hourly I converse with the old sages and philosophers; and sometimes, for variety, I confer with kings and emperors, and weigh their counsels."

VA. SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Richmond, Sept. 22.- Preparations are well under way for the sixth season of the Virginia Symphony Orchestra, which will make 200 appearances on a three-month tour in Virginia, West Virginia, Kentucky, Maryland and Pennsylvania next March through April, Conductor-Director William Haaker has announced.

The opening date is five months away, but you would think it was next week from the feverish activity going on now at the Orchestra's home at 2421 Park Ave., in Richmond. That's because there's more to it than just booking dates for an orchestra.

Most of the concerts are under the sponsorship of the 37 local organizations affiliated with the orchestra. These groups, known in Virginia as orchestra guilds and elsewhere as concert associations, are now conducting membership drives.

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GOOD LANDSCAPING GIVES "NEW LOOK" TO OLD HOMES

Overgrown foundation plantings of older homes should be renewed with low-growing plants which will never obscure the windows of the first floor. Developed in the past few years, the new, low-growing shrubs will create a fashionable "new look" to the older home, according to the American Association of Nurserymen.

This re-landscaping can be made to pay a "bonus" of an outdoor living room or a plant screen for greater privacy by transplanting the overgrown shrubs elsewhere on the property where their large size may be an asset. Often the transplanted shrubs can be grouped to provide a background for the rose or flower garden. In such uses, their good qualities will show up.

Strive for all-year, everlasting beauty in your renewed foundation planting. Consult your local nurseryman for shadings of foliage color as well as flower color and form. The grays and greens and light blues of foliage offer interesting contrasts. The purpose of the foundation planting is to frame the house. It cannot do this if it has become so overgrown that it obscures windows and darkens rooms indoors. Plan the new foundation planting in gentle curves rather than straight, rigid lines. You want a free, natural-flowing planting undulating around the base of the home, supplying a wealth of color and contrast.

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IMPORTANCE OF A PRESSURE WATER SYSTEM

By
R. H. Trice, Rural Representative
Virginia Electric and Power Co.

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More profitable results with better farm production and yields can be secured from an adequate supply of water when and where you need it. Figures published by the U. S. Department of Agriculture show that milk and egg production may be increased from 10 to 20 per cent with an adequate supply of water available at all times. The home garden production may be increased as much as 50 per cent with a sprinkling system. For two or three cents one kwhr of electricity will pump 1000 gallons of water. Few farm water systems cost over $1.00 per month for electric energy.

Property with an automatic electric water systems increases in value many times the cost of the installation. The proper installation will last and serve for years.

An adequate water system is the best health insurance and fire insurance that a farm family can buy. Doctors claim that pure running water prevents more sickness than any medicine in the world. Cleanliness is the greatest destroyer of diseases and water is necessary to keep the farm and home operations clean.

Each member of the family will use about 35 gallons of water per day for all purposes. Each cow will use 15 gallons a day, and each 100 chickens will need 4 gallons a day. The minimum capacity needed for fire protection is 300 gallons per hour which is not less than 5 gallons per minute.

If you desire any information or assistance in the installation or the operation of a pressure water system, contact your county agent, dealer or rural representative with your power supplier. Also learn from them how you may win from $25.00 to $250.00 in the Virginia Farm Water Systems Contest, which closes October 15, 1954.

Liberty Chap...

Liberty Chapel, Sept. ... Vera P.-T. A. will hold ... meeting at the school on T... Sept. 30th.

Mrs. Sallie Jamerson, of ... burg visited in the home ... father, W. W. Thornhill ...

Mrs. Paul Thornhill acco... her father and sister, Don ... Mr. and Mrs. Noel Johnson ... trip to Akron, Ohio to visit ... several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin ... and Becky visited Mr. and ... Wilbur Scruggs, of Bucking... Saturday evening.

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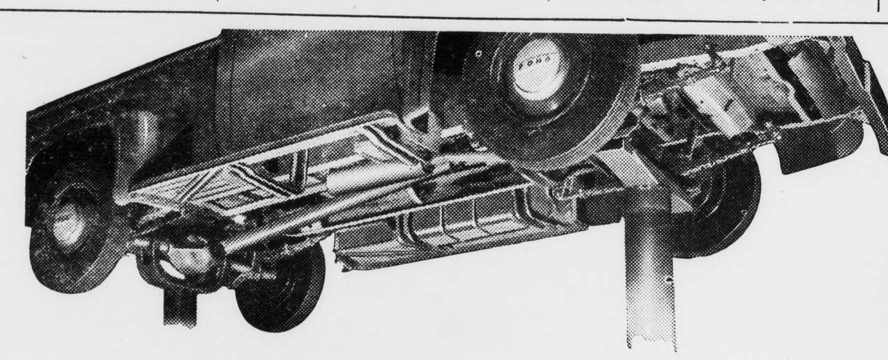
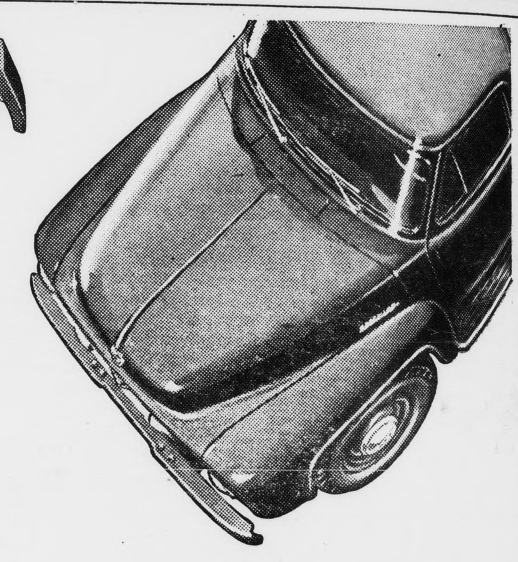

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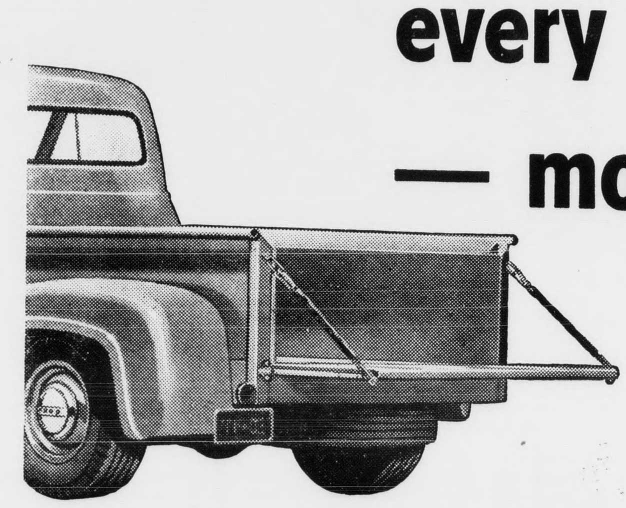

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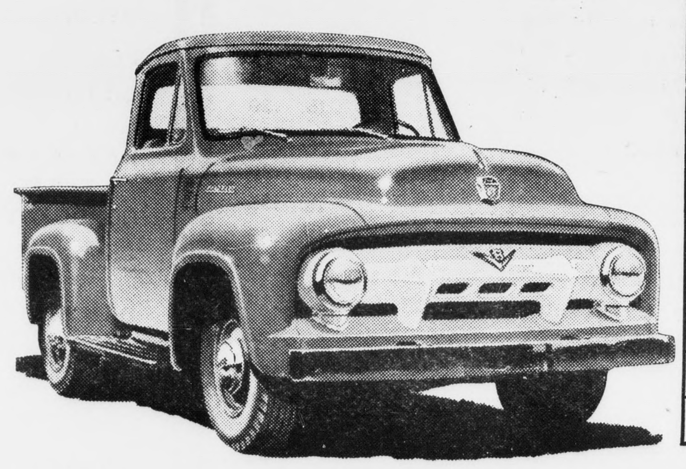

Here are some of the angles to watch when you buy a Pickup. COMPARE—see how Ford stands out!

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Modern short-stroke engine design in choice of both overhead-valve V-8 and Six	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Deep-skirt crankcase for better bearing support, smoother performance, longer engine life	YES	NO	NO	NO	YES
Integral valve guides for cooler running valves with up to 50% longer life	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Front tread width 60.6" or more, for easier steering, greater stability	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Total brake lining area 179 square inches or more for safer stopping	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Standard cab glass area 2,103 square inches or more, for greater visibility	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Seat shock snubbers to damp out road shocks, give smoother ride	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Non-sag Z-type seat springs for longer-lasting resilience	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
Overdrive transmission available for maximum gas economy	YES	NO	NO	NO	YES

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AHS Newscast

By Jane Holt

September 23

...week of real school has ...now and it was work! We ...back in the system of ...and have dispelled the ...ghts of starting back to ...Wednesday we had assembly. ...talked to us for a while ...rules we are expected to ...school. During assembly, ...G. Anderson spoke to the ...bers, telling them about ...nty Fair and the Farm ...Also, she discussed the var... many of the 4-H mem... and would like to enter in ...Show. Thursday and Fri... seniors elected their class ... Robert Leffers; V. Pres., Allen Moore; Sec., Charles ...Treas., Lucy Perdue; Reporter, Mary Watt Stanley; Historian, Ronnie Lewis.

We certainly have a wonderful group and we are expecting great things from them. Friday afternoon the cheerleaders led the student body in a pep rally. We really had good support. Friday the football team and cheerleaders followed by some supporters journeyed to Roanoke to play William Fleming High School. Although the boys played hard and they surely played a tough game they were defeated 45-0. We are wishing the team and Coach Gordon Bragg the best of luck when they go to Oceana Friday night.

The annual staff is well on its way to getting our yearbook in shape.

The Commercial Comments staff met Monday. They have some good workers and we hope their paper will be the best. Shirley Smith and Eloise Couch are co-editors this year.

This does it for this week and the local happenings around AHS. Be looking for more news next week.

'Til then,
Jane.

CAFETERIA MENU

Mrs. L. L. Stanley, manager, has announced the following menu for the Appomattox school cafeteria:

Monday, Sept. 27.- Macaroni and cheese or cheese sandwich, string beans, green gage plums, cookie and milk.

Tuesday, Sept. 28.- Baked beans with crisp bacon, cole slaw, pear salad with grated cheese, hot rolls, butter and milk.

Wednesday, Sept. 29.- Weiner in roll, buttered corn, chopped collard greens, milk.

Thursday, Sept. 30.- Tomato soup peanut butter sandwich, celery stuffed with pimento cheese, cookies and milk.

Friday, Oct. 1.- Salmon croquets, tomatoes, boiled potatoes, honey butter, bread and milk.

TUBERCULOSIS ASS'N. MEETS IN WILLIAMSBURG

The Virginia Tuberculosis Association will hold its semi-annual fall board meeting in Williamsburg, Virginia, on Thursday, September 30. The session will begin at 3:00 P. M. and will be held in the ballroom of the Williamsburg Lodge. Large numbers of Virginians from all over the state have already made reservations for this meeting, Thomas Pinckney, president of the VTA, stated today. A number of VTA committee meetings will also be held at the same time. All persons interested in the control of Virginia's No. 1 communicable disease are invited to attend the board meeting in Williamsburg.

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DEDICATION SERVICE AT FINE ARTS MUSEUM

Two fountains will be dedicated at the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts during September and October.

"The Small Triton Fountain" by Carl Milles, a gift to the people of Virginia by Mrs. George F. Baker of New York City, will be dedicated in connection with the first exhibition of the new season, "Designs for Fountains," opening September 24. The statue is a triton, a young sea god sitting atop a huge granite urn, blowing water into the air from a conch shell. Virginia is fortunate in having two Milles fountains, the "Fountain of Faith" at Falls Church, and now "The Small Triton" at the Virginia Museum in Richmond.

On October 8 dedication ceremonies will be held at 8:45 P. M. for the Woodson P. Waddy memorial fountains. These terrace-type fountains border the entrance walk to the Museum. Cascades of water flow from bronze basins into pools overflowing into two more pools at lower levels. They were inspired by Renaissance fountains and the Radio City Promenade fountains in New York City.

Mr. Waddy, former president of Everett Waddey Company, Richmond, died in 1951 and bequeathed $50,000 for fountains for the museum.

Gov. Cites Need For Water Systems Program

Governor Thomas B. Stanley has endorsed a current program aimed at increasing the use of pressure water systems in the rural areas of Virginia.

In his statement, Governor Stanley pointed out that during the month of September, 30 agencies and organizations in Virginia are trying to get information on water systems to rural people who do not now have them. The goal is to install 10,000 pressure water systems.

About 30 counties are conducting an intensive water systems program this month. These county programs are aimed at giving interested people information that will help them select and plan a water system that will best meet their individual needs.

"I am happy to endorse this worthwhile program, because I know the great contribution water under pressure can make toward happier, more enjoyable living, and toward better farm production," the Governor said.

The statewide program is being spearheaded by the Virginia Rural Electrification Counicl, which has headquarters at VPI.

The Governor pointed out that more than 95% of Virginia farms have electric service. "That's a record of which all our citizens are proud. But, the benefits of electric service come only if the service is properly and efficiently used ..Over half of our farm people are still pumping and carrying water by hand, and are without such conveniences as a kitchen sink, a modern home laundry, and a bathroom," he said.

One phase of the water systems program is a contest now underway in which the idea is to complete in 50 words or less one of the following statements: "Our pressure water system helps us because........," or "We need a pressure water system because............" Prizes are: first, $250; second, $100; third, $75; and 12 additional prizes of $25, in Savings Bonds.

Entry blanks are available from county agricultural agents, vocational agriculture teachers, electric power suppliers, and certain water pump dealers. The entries must be mailed before midnight, October 15 to: Water Systems, Blacksburg, Virginia.

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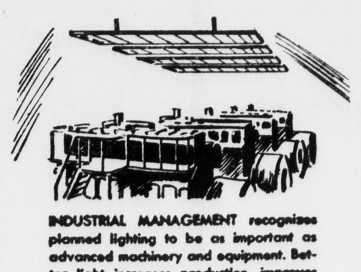

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